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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed on April 4, 2003, for a period of one (1) month from July 4, 2003, to and including August 4, 2003.
- 2. Applicant is other than a small entity.
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- 4. An Amendment/Response
 - [X] is filed herewith
 - [] has been filed.
- 5. Fee payment
 - [X] Charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 09-0468 and charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to that account. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

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